



# UAB Hospital Quarterly Nursing CE Schedule

**Quarter: July – September 2008**

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## **Introduction**

The purpose of this schedule is to better provide you with information on current and upcoming nursing classes offered at UAB Hospital. This schedule is updated and re-published on a quarterly basis. However, additional classes may be added after publication. Look for email notification of such additions or contact Nursing Staff Development at 934-7272 for questions.

## **Rules / Guidelines for Fees and Refunds**

Unless otherwise indicated with the class information, all classes are free to UAB Health System Employees (University Hospital, UAB Medical West, UAB Highlands, TKC, and other UAB Clinics). Payment information should be included with the specific class information.

General fees / cost (may be more or less depending on the class/event):

\$45.00 for a half day class (4 – 5 CE's)

\$75.00 for a full day class (6 – 8 CE's)

\$125.00 for a day and a half class

\$150 for a two day class

Refund policy: One week notification prior to the class / event will receive a full refund. Notification within forty-eight (48) hours of the class / event will receive a 70% refund.

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## ACLS PREPARATION CLASS

This class is designed to offer an introduction to ACLS protocols. Lethal Dysrhythms, Code 10 pharmacology, and hands on in the simulation center will be covered.

### Class Dates:

Date	Day	Time
1-28-08	Monday	0800-1600
2-25-08	Monday	0800-1600
3-31-08	Monday	0800-1600
4-28-08	Monday	0800-1600
5-19-08	Monday	0800-1600
6-30-08	Monday	0800-1600
7-28-08	Monday	0800-1600
8-25-08	Monday	0800-1600
9-29-08	Monday	0800-1600
10-27-08	Monday	0800-1600
11-24-08	Monday	0800-1600

### Location and Times:

Class will be held in the Resuscitation classroom located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of QBT (Quarterback Towers).

### Contact Hours:

This class has been approved for 7.0 ABN and 5.8 ASNA contact hours.

### Registration and Fees:

There is \$75.00 fee for non-UAB registrants. UAB employees are free.

Class size is limited to 20. Registration should be sent to David H.

James ([djames@uabmc.edu](mailto:djames@uabmc.edu)).

### For More Information:

David H. James RN, MSN, CCRN, CCNS [djames@uabmc.edu](mailto:djames@uabmc.edu) 205-975-2939

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

## **AED HEARTSAVER / BLS / ACLS / PALS**

**Department of Resuscitation Sponsored**

### **AED Heartsaver Training**

BLS Heartsaver AED is for non licensed personnel. It emphasizes the skills but does not have a written test.

#### **Class Dates:**

<b>Dates for 2008</b>		<b>Time</b>	<b>Time</b>
January	22	0800	1200
February	19	0800	1200
March	18	0800	1200
April	15	0800	1200
May	20	0800	1200
June	17	0800	1200
July	22	0800	1200
August	19	0800	1200
September	16	0800	1200
October	21	0800	1200
November	18	0800	1200
December	16	0800	1200

#### **Location and Times:**

Class will be held in the Resuscitation classroom located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of QBT (Quarterback Towers).

#### **Contact Hours:**

None offered as this is a required course to maintain licensure.

#### **Registration and Fee's:**

At this time, this class is only open to employees of UAB Hospital.

There is no charge to the employee. Registration is via Sharepoint by Manager or Educator.

#### **For more information:**

Please contact Kornelius Gardner at 996-5817 for questions.

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**BLS Class**

BLS Healthcare Provider is for licensed personnel. It includes skills and a written test.

**Class Dates:**

<b>Dates for 2008</b>		<b>Time</b>	<b>Time</b>
January	8, 15, 29	0800	1200
February	5, 12, 26	0800	1200
March	4, 11, 25	0800	1200
April	8, 22, 29	0800	1200
May	6, 13, 27	0800	1200
June	3, 10, 24	0800	1200
July	8, 15, 29	0800	1200
August	5, 12, 26	0800	1200
September	9, 23, 30	0800	1200
October	7, 14, 28	0800	1200
November	4, 11	0800	1200
December	2, 9	0800	1200

**Location and Times:**

Class will be held in the Resuscitation classroom located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of QBT (Quarterback Towers).

**Contact Hours:**

None offered as this is a required course to maintain licensure.

**Registration and Fee's:**

At this time, this class is only open to employees of UAB Hospital. There is no charge to the employee. Registration is via Sharepoint by Manager or Educator.

**For more information:**

Please contact Kornelius Gardner at 996-5817 for questions.

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## **ACLS Class**

ACLS Healthcare Provider is also for licensed personnel. It is required for nurses that work in the ICU or critical care areas. Priority is given for those who are required to have ACLS to maintain employment at UAB.

### **Class Dates:**

<b>Dates for 2008</b>		<b>Time</b>
January	9-10, 30-31	0730
February	13-14, 27-28	0730
March	12-13, 26-27	0730
April	9-10, 23-24	0730
May	7-8, 21-22	0730
June	11-12, 25-26	0730
July	9-10, 23-24	0730
August	6-7, 20-21	0730
September	10-11, 24-25	0730
October	8-9, 22-23	0730
November	5-6, 19-20	0730
December	3-4, 17-18	0730

### **Location and Times:**

Class will be held in the Resuscitation classroom located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of QBT (Quarterback Towers).

### **Contact Hours:**

This class has been approved for 11.6 contact hours.

### **Registration and Fees:**

This call is open to both UAB and Non-UAB nurses. No charge to UAB hospital employees who are required to have ACLS. There is a charge of \$175 for anyone who is not required to have ACLS to maintain employment at UAB. This charge does not include the Provider Manual that is required for preparation and class.

### **Space is limited to**

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

### **For more information:**

Please contact Kornelius Gardner at 996-5817 for questions.

## **PALS**

This course is for licensed personnel who work closely with the pediatric patient population. The focus is on prevention of cardiopulmonary arrest by early intervention and on cardiopulmonary arrest management should it occur.

### **Class Dates:**

<b>Date's for 2008</b>		<b>Time</b>
January	16 & 17	0730
February	20 & 21	0730
March	19 & 20	0730
April	16 & 17	0730
May	14 & 15	0730
June	18 & 19	0730
July	16 & 17	0730
August	13 & 14	0730
September	17 & 18	0730
October	15 & 16	0730
November	12 & 13	0730
December	10 & 11	0730

### **Location and Times:**

Class will be held in the Resuscitation classroom located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of QBT (Quarterback Towers).

### **Contact Hours:**

This class has been approved for 11.6 contact hours.

### **Registration and Fees:**

This call is open to both UAB and Non-UAB nurses. No charge to UAB hospital employees who are required to have PALS. There is a charge of \$175 for anyone who is not required to have PALS to maintain employment at UAB. This charge does not include the Provider Manual that is required for preparation and class.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

### **For more information:**

Please contact Kornelius Gardner at 996-5817 for questions.

**BLS RECERTIFICATION CLASS** sponsored by Nursing Resource Team

This is a BLS class for licensed personnel. It includes hands on skills and a written test.

**Class Dates:**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>January 14, 2008</b>	<b>0730, 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>February 14, 2008</b>	<b>1630, 1930, 2130, 2330, 0130, 0330</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>March 14, 2008</b>	<b>0730, 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>April 14, 2008</b>	<b>0730, 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>May 14, 2008</b>	<b>1630, 1930, 2130, 2330, 0130, 0330</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>June 14, 2008</b>	<b>0730, 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>July 14, 2008</b>	<b>0730, 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>August 14, 2008</b>	<b>1630, 1930, 2130, 2330, 0130, 0330</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>September 11, 2008</b>	<b>0730, 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>October 14, 2008</b>	<b>0730, 0930, 1130, 1330, 1530, 1730</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>November 14, 2008</b>	<b>1630, 1930, 2130, 2330, 0130, 0330</b>	<b>WPCC-D</b>
<b>No Recertification Class in December</b>			

**Location and Times:**

See table above. All classes are held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor West Pavilion Conference Center (WPCC) and start on the half hour.

**Contact Hours:**

None

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### **Registration and Fees:**

These classes are only open to UAB Hospital employees. First come, First seated – No advance registration or sign-up needed. Class size limited to no more than 30 participants. No fee.

### **Other:**

Classes will begin promptly as posted. No late entry will be permitted. If the classroom is filled, but a Nursing Resource Team employee presents BEFORE start time, the last person to enter will be replaced by the NRT employee.

### **For More Information:**

Contact Doug Oliver at 205-934-9519.

## **BSN RESIDENCY CLASSES**

The B.S.N. Residency is a year long program designed to assist the BSN graduate in the transition from new graduate to competent bedside nurse. The Program places an emphasis on the development of clinical and leadership skills to help the new graduate become a leader at the bedside.

### **Class Dates:**

COHORT III Wednesday's	COHORT IV Thursday's	Cohort V Wednesday's
January 23	January 24	July 23
February 27	February 28	August 27
March 26	March 27	September 24
April 23	April 24	October 22
May 28	May 22	November 12
June 25	June 26	December 10
	July 24	
	August 28	
	September 25	
	October 23	
	November 13	
	December 11	

### **Location and Times:**

8-12 Liberty National Auditorium

### **Contact Hours:**

Varies depending on content

### **Registration and Fees:**

All new graduates from BSN programs that are new hire @ UAB

### **Other:**



## **CHEMOTHERAPY CERTIFICATION**

This one day course provides a comprehensive approach to chemotherapy administration. The participant will understand the role of chemotherapy in the treatment of cancer, specific medications and nursing care associated with chemotherapy, and how to safely administer chemotherapy.

**Class dates:**

April 3, 2008

August 21, 2008

December 4, 2008 WPCC Room B

**Location and Time:** All classes will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor West Pavilion Conference Center (WPCC), room – B. Class times are from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Contact Hours:**

This class has been approved for 9.6 ABN and 8.0 ASNA contact hours.

**Registration and Fees:**

Free to UAB Health System employees. The cost to outside participants will be \$75.00. Please register via email at [MedNurCE@uabmc.edu](mailto:MedNurCE@uabmc.edu) . Include your name, contact information, and the class you wish to register for.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

**For more information:**

Contact Christy Mims at 996-5388

## **CRRT Academy 2008 Conference (Coming Soon)**

The CRRT Academy 2008 will be held at The Wynfrey on September 5 and 6. More information to follow.

## **CRRT INITIAL TRAINING COURSE**

This course is designed to provide the RN with an overview of renal failure, dialysis modalities, and UAB's dilute citrate protocol.

### **Class Dates, Time and Location:**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>
1-15-08	Tues	8-12	WPCC (West Pavilion Conference Center)
2-08-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
3-28-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
4-18-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
4-21-08	Monday	8-12	WPCC
5-9-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
5-20-08	Tues	8-12	WPCC
6-20-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
6-23-08	Monday	8-12	WPCC
7-25-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
8-6-08	Wed	8-12	WPCC
8-15-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
9-11-08	Thurs	8-12	WPCC
9-19-08	Friday	8-12	WPCC
11-3-08	Monday	8-12	WPCC
11-10-08	Monday	8-12	WPCC
12-10-08	Wed	8-12	WPCC

### **Contact Hours:**

This class has been approved for 3.9 contact hours through the ABN and 3.25 contact hours through the ASNA / ANCC.

### **Registration and Fees:**

The class is open to both UAB and non-UAB nurses. There is a \$45.00 charge for outside registrants (non-UAB nurses). To register please email David H. James ([djames@uabmc.edu](mailto:djames@uabmc.edu)). Class size is limited to 20 with UAB ICU RN's receiving first priority for registration.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

### **For more Information:**

David H. James – [djames@uabmc.edu](mailto:djames@uabmc.edu) 205.975.2939

## CRRT: Update Class:

The class provides an overview of key concepts for CRRT therapy. An overview of UAB's Dilute Citrate Protocol will be discussed.

### Class dates, times, location

Date	Day	Location	Time
4-1-08	Tues	W575	0730-0930
7-8-08	Tues	W575	0730-0930
10-21-08	Tues	W575	0730-0930
12-17-08	Wed	W575	0730-0930

### Contact Hours:

This class has been approved for 2.2 contact hours through the ABN and 1.8 contact hours through the ASNA / ANCC.

### Registration and Fees:

The class is open to outside registration. There is a \$25.00 charge for outside registrants. Please email David H. James ([djames@uabmc.edu](mailto:djames@uabmc.edu)). Class size is limited to 20 with UAB ICU RN receiving first priority for registration.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

### For more Information:

David H. James – [djames@uabmc.edu](mailto:djames@uabmc.edu) 205.975.2939

## CRITICAL CARE CONSORTIUM CLASSES

The critical care consortium classes are a series of classes focusing on critical care issues and designed to equip nurses to care for critically ill patients. The Greater Birmingham chapter of American Association of Critical Care Nurses presents the Critical Care Consortium that is a joint educational effort conducted for 15 hospitals and clinics. Classes include:

- 2-day Basic Dysrhythmia course
- 4-day Critical Care Orientation classes
- Advanced Cardiovascular Day
- Advanced Neuro Day
- Intraaortic Balloon Pump class

All nurses at UAB who work in an ICU or critical care area are required to attend some combination of these classes. Each hospital in the consortium has a specific amount of seats for each class. Nurses in the ICU/critical care area will be given seating preference for these classes.

## **2-day Basic Dysrhythmia Course**

### **Class Dates:**

See table below for class dates and registration deadline

### **Location and Time:**

Classes are held in the Haynes Building at Baptist Medical Center - Princeton. All classes begin at 0830 and end before 1700 each day.

### **Contact Hours:**

Contact hours are awarded for completion of the entire day, inclusive of other lectures.

### **Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration is required. For UAB employees, check with your ANC or nurse manager. For non-UAB employees, check for information listed on the American Association of Critical Care Nurses website with link to local Birmingham Chapter and the B'ham Critical Care Consortium. This class is free to critical care consortium member area hospital/facilities. For non-member participants, the cost is \$75/entire lecture day plus \$25 for course packet for a total of \$100.

### **Other:**

Food is not provided and seating is limited to 100 people.

### **For More Information:**

Contact Stephen Hunt, MSN, APRN, BC at 205-934-5739, coordinator for information or questions.

## **4-day Critical Care Orientation Classes**

Day 1:

- DKA
- Acute Renal Failure
- Pain Management/Sedation
- Basic Neurological Assessment
- Cerebrovascular Accidents (Stroke)
- Seizures

Day 2:

- GI/Pancreatitis/GI Bleed/Small Bowel Obstruction/Liver Failure/Nutrition
- Oxygen Therapy/Intubation/Ventilation
- ARDS/PTE/Case Studies/ABG Interpretation

Day3:

- Hemodynamics

Day4:

- Acute Coronary Syndrome/Congestive Heart Failure

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- Organ & Tissue Donation
- Shock
- CV Drugs/Perfusion

**Class Dates:**

See table below for class dates and registration deadline

**Location and Time:**

Classes are held in the 3rd floor classroom of the Lewis Building at Physicians Medical Center- Carraway. All classes begin at 0830 and end before 1700 each day.

**Contact Hours:**

Contact hours are awarded for completion of the entire day, inclusive of other lectures.

**Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration is required. For UAB employees, check with your ANC or nurse manager. For non-UAB employees, check for information listed on the American Association of Critical Care Nurses website with link to local Birmingham Chapter and the B'ham Critical Care Consortium. This class is free to critical care consortium member area hospital/facilities. For non-member participants, the cost is \$75/entire lecture day plus \$25 for course packet for a total of \$100.

**Other:**

Food is not provided and seating is limited to 100 people.

**For More Information:**

Contact Stephen Hunt, MSN, APRN, BC at 205-934-5739, coordinator for information or questions.

## **Advanced Cardiovascular Day**

12-lead EKG

Cardiovascular Surgery/Pacemakers

**Class Dates:**

See table below for class dates and registration deadline

**Location and Time:**

Classes are held in the 3rd floor classroom of the Lewis Building at Physicians Medical Center- Carraway. All classes begin at 0830 and end before 1700 each day.

**Contact Hours:**

Contact hours are awarded for completion of the entire day, inclusive of other lectures.

**Registration and Fees:**

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Pre-registration is required. For UAB employees, check with your ANC or nurse manager. For non-UAB employees, check for information listed on the American Association of Critical Care Nurses website with link to local Birmingham Chapter and the B'ham Critical Care Consortium. This class is free to critical care consortium member area hospital/facilities. For non-member participants, the cost is \$75/entire lecture day plus \$25 for course packet for a total of \$100.

#### **Other:**

Food is not provided and seating is limited to 100 people.

#### **For More Information:**

Contact Stephen Hunt, MSN, APRN, BC at 205-934-5739, coordinator for information or questions.

### **Advanced Neuro Day**

This class offers an overview of neuropathology with traumatic brain injuries and increased intracranial pressure, inclusive of ICP monitoring devices and techniques to control and reduce ICP and promote adequate cerebral perfusion. Treatment of space-occupying lesions is discussed in detail with medical interventions, nursing interventions and pharmacological and kinetic therapies.

#### **Class Dates:**

See table below for class dates and registration deadline

#### **Location and Time:**

Classes are held at the Physicians Medical Center – Carraway Hospital. All classes begin at 0830 and end before 1700 each day.

#### **Contact Hours:**

Contact hours are awarded for completion of the entire day, inclusive of other lectures. Approximately 7.8 contact hours for this class day.

#### **Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration is required. For UAB employees, check with your ANC or nurse manager. For non-UAB employees, check for information listed on the American Association of Critical Care Nurses website with link to local Birmingham Chapter and the B'ham Critical Care Consortium. This class is free to critical care consortium member area hospital/facilities. For non-member participants, the cost is \$75/entire lecture day plus \$25 for course packet for a total of \$100.

#### **Other:**

Food is not provided and seating is limited to 100 people.

#### **For More Information:**

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Contact Stephen Hunt, MSN, APRN, BC at 205-934-5739, coordinator for information or questions.

## **Intra-aortic Balloon Pump Classes**

### **Class Dates:**

See table below for class dates and registration deadline

### **Location and Time:**

Classes are held in the 3rd floor classroom of the Lewis Building at Physicians Medical Center- Carraway. Class is held from 0830-1230.

### **Contact Hours:**

Contact hours are awarded for completion of the entire day, inclusive of other lectures.

### **Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration is required. For UAB employees, check with your ANC or nurse manager. For non-UAB employees, check for information listed on the American Association of Critical Care Nurses website with link to local Birmingham Chapter and the B'ham Critical Care Consortium. This class is free to critical care consortium member area hospital/facilities. For non-member participants, the cost is \$75/entire lecture day plus \$25 for course packet for a total of \$100.

### **Other:**

Food is not provided and seating is limited to 100 people.

### **For More Information:**

Contact Stephen Hunt, MSN, APRN, BC at 205-934-5739, coordinator for information or questions.

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**GREATER BIRMINGHAM CRITICAL CARE CONSORTIUM  
CRITICAL CARE COURSE DATES – 2008**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>COURSE</b>	<b>REGIST. DEADLINE</b>
January 16 & 17	Basic Dysrhythmia	January 2
Jan. 28 & 29, Feb. 4 & 5	Basic Critical Care Orientation	January 14
February 11	CV Day	January 28
February 12	IABP Class 0830-1230 Lewis Bldg.	January 29
February 13	Neuro Day	January 30
March 5 & 6	Basic Dysrhythmia	February 20
March 31, April 1, 7 & 8	Basic Critical Care Orientation	March 17
April 14	CV Day	March 31
April 16	Neruo Day	April 2
April 22	IABP Class 0830-1230 Lewis Bldg.	April 8
May 14 & 15	Basic Dysrhythmia	April 30
June 2, 3, 9 & 10	Basic Critical Care Orientation	May 19
June 11 & 12	Basic Dysrhythmia	May 28
June 16	CV Day	June 2
June 17	IABP Class 0830-1230 Lewis Bldg.	June 3
June 18	Neuro Day	June 4
July 14, 15, 21 & 22	Basic Critical Care Orientation	June 30
July 16 & 17	Basic Dysrhythmia	July 2
July 28	CV Day	July 14
July 29	IABP Class 0830-1230 Lewis Bldg.	July 15
July 30	Neuro Day	July 16
August 13 & 14	Basic Dysrhythmia	July 30
September 9 & 10	Basic Dysrhythmia	August 26
Sept. 29 & 30, Oct. 6 & 7	Basic Critical Care Orientation	September 15
October 13	CV Day	September 29
October 14	IABP Class 0830-1230 Lewis Bldg.	September 30
October 15	Neuro Day	October 1
November 12 & 13	Basic Dysrhythmia	October 29
December 1, 2, 8 & 9	Basic Critical Care Orientation	November 17
December 15	CV Day	December 1
December 16	IABP Class 0830-1230 Lewis Bldg.	December 2
December 17	Neuro Day	December 3

**All courses will be held at Physician's Medical Center - Carraway except for Basic Dysrhythmia Courses which will be held in the Haynes Building at Baptist Medical Center – Princeton**

## **DIVISION(S) ORIENTATIONS**

### **Medical Nursing Division Orientation**

The purpose of this offering is to provide a comprehensive orientation to the medical nursing division including critical care issues. The focus will be on care of the patient with complex medical problems going from physiology to hands on with equipment.

#### **Class Dates:**

January 16 – 17

March 13 – 14

June 2 – 4

July 22 – 23

September 18 – 19

November 5 – 6

#### **Location and Times:**

Classes will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor West Pavilion Conference Center (WPCC). Rooms will vary depending on the day / month. Please see electronic information board as you come into the conference center for room location. Class time will be from 0800 – 1600.

#### **Contact Hours:**

Day one has been approved for 7.7 contact hours by the ABN and 6.4 contact hours by the ASNA / ANCC. Day two has been approved for 8.2 contact hours by the ABN and 6.8 contact hours by the ASNA / ANCC.

#### **Registration and Fees:**

This offering is open to nurses at UAB Hospital only. Seating is limited and will be given to nurses in the medical division first. Pre-registration must be done by the nurse manager or ANC. No registration at the door. This class is free and includes food and handouts.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

#### **For more Information:**

Contact Joan Walker at 205-934-7056 for more information.

## **EDUCATIONAL BLITZ**

### **EBP and Quality Education Blitz**

This is an all day educational offering focusing on nursing, quality, and evidence-based practice. Topics to be discussed include the definition and purpose of evidence-based practice, its impact on nursing, and how quality fits into the equation.

**Class Dates:**

June 18, 2008

**Location and Time:**

The class will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor West Pavilion Conference Center room E. Class times will be from 8:00 – 4:30.

**Contact Hours:**

Contact hours are pending at this time but will range from 6 to 8.4.

**Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration is suggested. Seating is limited to 90. Registration at the door is pending available space. Food will be provided. Register to attend at [MedNurCE@uabmc.edu](mailto:MedNurCE@uabmc.edu) be sure to include your name, contact information and the name / date of the class you are registering for.

This offering is free to UAB Health System employees (UAB Hospital, TKC, Highlands, Medical West). All non-UAB employees will be charged \$75.00 for all day attendance.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

**For More Information:**

Please contact Shannon Graham at 205-934-9919 for more information.

### **CPP Management & ICP Monitoring**

This class covers cerebral perfusion pressure management and intracranial pressure monitoring. Some nursing competencies are beyond basic practice and require practice, return demonstration and written testing.

**Class Dates:**

Date and Time: various; usually about every 4-6 weeks.

Presenter: Stephen Hunt, MSN, APRN, BC

**Location:**

NICU Conference Room, 8th floor NP

**Contact Hours:**

Approved for 9.6 ABN contact hours

**Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration is required with Stephen Hunt – NICU. This class is open to UAB employees only, more specifically: NICU RNs, NSSP RNs and hospital RNs who work in NICU or have a second assignment. Occasionally a nursing student may be allowed to attend. There is no charge for this class.

**Other:**

Food is not included and seating is limited to 6-8 per class.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

**For more Information:**

Contact / coordinator information for questions: Stephen Hunt, MSN, APRN, BC 205-934-5739

## **ONCOLOGY NURSING ORIENTATION**

To educate nurses new to oncology nursing: what it is, what it means, who it affects and to better care for cancer patients.

**Class Dates:**

January 31, 2008 WPCC Room B

July 7, 2008 WPCC Room A

**Location and Times:**

Class will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor West Pavilion Conference Center.

Class time will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Contact Hours:**

This class has been approved for 8.4 contact hours by the ABN and 7.0 contact hours by the ANCC.

**Registration and Fees:**

Free to UAB Health System employees. The cost to outside participants will be \$75.00. Please register via email at [MedNurCE@uabmc.edu](mailto:MedNurCE@uabmc.edu).

Include your name, contact information, and the class you wish to register for.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

**For more Information:**

Contact Christy Mims at 205-996-5388 for questions.

## **RN REFRESHER COURSE**

This course is especially designed for RNs and LPNs who have been out of nursing and would like to update their nursing knowledge. It is a five week, 15 day comprehensive review that includes pathophysiology, treatment, critical thinking and practice of skills.

### **Class Dates:**

Several courses are offered through out the year. Classes run Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of each week during the course.

Current course offerings at this time are:

February 19-March 20

September 16 – October 16

### **Location and Times:**

The classes will be held in the Nursing Staff Development Department in the Eyster Building on the corner of 8<sup>th</sup> Ave South (University Blvd) and 21<sup>st</sup> Street (Richard Arrington Blvd South). Class times are 8:30am-3:00pm.

### **Contact Hours:**

Contact hours provided for every day.

### **Registration and Fees:**

Please register with Nursing Staff Development at 205-934-7272 or email at [nursingce@uabmc.edu](mailto:nursingce@uabmc.edu). The cost is \$500.00 up until two weeks prior to the start of the course. If you register within two weeks of the start of the course the cost will be \$550.00.

**No partial credits will be given.**

**Space is limited to 30**

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

### **For More Information:**

For more information, please contact Ann Colvin at 205- 934-7272.

## **THURSDAY GRAND ROUNDS**

This is a weekly series of rotating topics offered every Thursday in the morning and again at lunch to all nurses at the hospital.

**Class Dates:**

Every Thursday except holidays.

**Location and Time:**

Classes are held in either the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor West Pavilion Conference Center or the Margaret Cameron Spain Auditorium. Class times are from 0715 to 0815 in the morning and repeated again at 1315 to 1415 in the afternoon.

**Contact Hours:**

Approved for 1.2 contact hour by the ABN and 1 contact hours by ASNA / ANCC

**Registration and Fees:**

Registration is not required. These classes are open to UAB employees only. All classes are free. Food is provided for the first 15 people at the morning class and for the first 30 people at the afternoon class.

**For More Information:**

Please see the attached document for more information. Contact Shannon Graham 205-934-9919 for questions.



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## **TRAUMA NURSING CORE COURSE**

This two day course is designed to provide the learner with cognitive knowledge and psychomotor skills related to trauma assessment and interventions. The trauma nursing process is reflected throughout the chapters and in the psychomotor skills stations. Lectures and psychomotor skill stations are presented by verified TNCC instructors and the lecture content is organized to provide the learner with substantive knowledge for use in the psychomotor skill stations. Participation in all psychomotor skill stations is required for completion of the course. Skill stations include: The trauma nursing process, airway and ventilation and spinal protection, helmet removal and splinting. Evaluation of learners includes a written multiple choice exam and the trauma nursing process station. These evaluations are designed to assess acquisition of cognitive knowledge, important skills and critical thinking. To successfully complete the course the learner must achieve 80% on the written exam and demonstrate all critical criteria and at least 70% of all steps in the trauma nursing process skills station.

### **Class Dates:**

April 1 & 2, 2008

June 3 & 4, 2008

August 26 & 27, 2008

October 28 & 29, 2008

### **Location and Time:**

This class will be held in the UED (University Emergency Department) Conference Room, located on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor NP (North Pavilion), room 1342. Class times will be 0745 until 1700 each day.

### **Contact hours:**

Approval for 14.92 contact hours will be awarded upon successful completion of written exam and skill station.

### **Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration is required and must be made at least one month in advance of class in order to receive the textbook in time. Please register with Tonya Manfre, RN, Clinical Educator for the UED. This class is open to both UAB employees and non-UAB employees. The cost is \$150.00 for UAB employees and \$200.00 for non-UAB employees.

**Other:**

Continental breakfast will be served. Seating is limited to 14. ENA suggests that the attendee has 6 months of trauma nursing experience. In addition, reading the text before class is a must to be successful.

**For more Information:**

Contact information & to register: Tonya Manfre, RN, Clinical Educator UED [tmanfre@uabmc.edu](mailto:tmanfre@uabmc.edu) or 934-6545

*Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.*

## **ANNUAL NEUROSCIENCE NURSING UPDATE**

**Sponsored by the Birmingham Chapter, American Association of Neuroscience Nurses and Neuroscience Nursing  
UAB Hospital**

**Class Date:** Thursday, August 28, 2008

**Location and Time:** The conference will be held in the West Pavilion Conference Center Room E.7:30 am – 3:00pm

Conference time: 7:30am – 3:00pm

**Contact Hours:**

The conference has been approved for 6 contact hours.

**Registration and Fees:**

Free to AANN members

Others: \$25.00

**To register please contact:** [mschultz@uabmc.edu](mailto:mschultz@uabmc.edu)

*Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.*

## **INITIAL PRECEPTOR COURSE**

**Class Dates:**

June 13, 2008

November 18, 2008

**Location and Times:**

The class will be held in the Margaret Cameron Spain Auditorium on the corner of 7<sup>th</sup> Ave South between 19<sup>th</sup> Street South for the June 13<sup>th</sup> class. Class time will be at 0730am-1600pm. The November 18<sup>th</sup> class will be held in the West Pavilion Conference Center.

**Contact Hours:**

The class will award 7.5 ABN and 6.25 ANCC contact hours for full attendance

**Registrations:**

Registrations must be sent by nurse manger or educator to [nursingce@uabmc.edu](mailto:nursingce@uabmc.edu)

**For More Information:**

For more information, please contact: David Slabaugh at 205-934-3248.

***Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.***

## **ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSING PHARMACOLOGY UPDATE**

UAB School of Nursing and Department of Nursing Staff Development will present this seminar. This seminar is designed to

**Class Date:**

Saturday, August 23, 2008

**Location and Time:**

Class will be held in 2<sup>nd</sup> floor West Pavilion Conference Center Room E. Class time will be from 0700am-1430pm.

**Contact Hours:**

This seminar will award 6.0 contact hours.

**Registrations and Fees:**

Please register by sending checks payable to UAB Hospital and send by mail to: UAB Hospital Nursing Staff Development, 619 19<sup>th</sup> Street South, 725 Richard Arrington Jr. Blvd. Room 106, Birmingham, Alabama 35249-6901. The cost is \$20.00. The seminar includes certificate, CD of powerpoint.

**For More Information:**

Please contact: Nursing Staff Development at 205-934-7272.

*Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.*

## **END OF LIFE NURSING EDUCATION CONSORTIUM (ELNEC) CLASS**

### **Class Dates:**

#### **Monday & Tuesday**

July 21, 2008

July 22, 2008

### **Location and Times:**

These classes will be held in the Margaret Cameron Spain Auditorium on the corner of 7<sup>th</sup> Ave South between 19<sup>th</sup> Street South.

### **Contact Hours:** TBA

Partial CE credit available, but participants are encouraged to attend both full days.

### **Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration required by email to [MedNurCE@uabmc.edu](mailto:MedNurCE@uabmc.edu)

Free to UAB Nurses, and open to nurses outside UAB for a fee.

**Speakers:** Pam Fordham, DNS, RN and other ELNEC faculty

**Agenda:** in process, variety of end of life topics

**Questions:** [jewalker@uabmc.edu](mailto:jewalker@uabmc.edu)

*Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.*

## **PAIN MANAGEMENT AND/OR OTHER TOPICS CEU BLITZ**

### **Class Date:**

Wednesday, July 16, 2008

### **Location and Time:**

This class will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor West Pavilion Conference Center, Room E from 0730am-1600pm.

### **Contact Hours:**

Partial CE credit available

### **Registration and Fees:**

Pre-registration required by email to [MedNurCE@uabmc.edu](mailto:MedNurCE@uabmc.edu)

Free to UAB Nurses, and open to Non- UAB for a fee.

**More details to follow when plans are finalized**

**Questions:** [jewalker@uabmc.edu](mailto:jewalker@uabmc.edu)

*Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.*

## **MEDICAL NURSING EDUCATION DAYS FOR NON-LICENSED STAFF**

Attendance limited to PCTs, USs, USSs from Medical Nursing units.

### **Class Dates:**

#### **Wednesdays**

July 30, 2008

August, 6, 2008

August 13, 2008

August 20, 2008

August 27, 2008

### **Location and Times**

Classes will be held in the West Pavilion Conference Center Room E.  
Class will start at 800am and will end at 4:30pm

**Registrations:** required via Nurse Manager or Educator in  
Medical Nursing

**Agenda:** TBA

**Program will be repeated each date**

**Questions:** [jewalker@uabmc.edu](mailto:jewalker@uabmc.edu)

## **PAIN MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

Nationally known speaker

### **Class Date:**

**Class has been canceled.**

Monday, August 25, 2008

### **Location and Times:**

This class will be held in the Margaret Cameron Spain Auditorium.  
Class will start at 800am and will end at 4:30pm

**Program/speaker negotiations in process**

**Details to follow when finalized**

**Questions:** [jewalker@uabmc.edu](mailto:jewalker@uabmc.edu)

*Please Bring Nursing License for Contact Hour credit.*

**Class has been canceled, with the possibility of rescheduling it later this year:**

## **MEDICAL NURSING EDUCATION DAYS FOR LICENSED STAFF**

Attendance limited to RNs and LPNs from Medical Nursing Units

### **Class Dates:**

#### **Wednesday**

September 17, 2008

September 24, 2008

October 1, 2008

October 22, 2008

October 29, 2008

### **Location and Times:**

Classes will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor West Pavilion Conference Center Room E. Class will start at 800am and will end at 4:30pm

**Registrations:** required via Nurse Manager or Educator in Medical Nursing

**Agenda:** TBA

**Program will be repeated each date**

**Questions:** [jewalker@uabmc.edu](mailto:jewalker@uabmc.edu)

## **MEDICAL NURSING DIVISION ORIENTATION**

Attendance limited to licensed staff from Medical Nursing Units

### **Class Dates:**

Tuesday & Wednesday

July 22, 2008

July 23, 2008

September 18, 2008

September 19, 2008

### **Location and Times:**

Classes will be held in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor West Pavilion Conference Center. Classes will start at 8:00am and will end at 4:30pm

**Registrations:** required via Nurse Manager or Educator in Medical Nursing

**Questions:** [jewalker@uabmc.edu](mailto:jewalker@uabmc.edu) or [djames@uabmc.edu](mailto:djames@uabmc.edu) or [sgraham@uabmc.edu](mailto:sgraham@uabmc.edu)

## **UAB CRRT ACADEMY 2008**

### **Class Dates:**

Thursday & Friday

September 4, 2008

September 5, 2008

### **Location and Times:**

This seminar will held at The Wynfrey Hotel at The Riverchase Galleria. Seminar will start at 7:30am and will end at 4:30pm.

### **Contact Hours:**

CME credits, Pharmacy CE and Nursing CE will be applied for

### **Agenda:** TBA

Various speakers

Program is planned for MDs, Nephrology Fellows, Nurses and Pharmacists

### **Registration and Fees:**

Registration is required. There will be a cost of \$200.00 for nurses, including UAB nurses

**Brochure and more information to follow**

**Questions:** [jewalker@uabmc.edu](mailto:jewalker@uabmc.edu)

## **UAB HealthSystem**

### **Cardiovascular Nursing Conference**

### **Excellence Across The Continuum**

### **Practice, Service and Technology**

### **Class Dates:**

**Thursday & Friday**

September 18, 2008

September 19, 2008

**Location and Times:** The conference will be held at the Cahaba Grand Conference Center, located at 1 HealthSouth Parkway South, Birmingham AL.

**Registration:** will be held each morning at 6:30am and the keynote speaker will start at 8:10am.

**Day One:** 6:30am – 4:25pm

**Day Two:** 6:30am – 1:30pm

**Contact Hours:**

Day One - September 18, 2008 ABN: 7.0 ANCC: 5.58

Day Two - September 19, 2009 ABN: 5.0 ANCC: 4.08

**Registration Fees:**

**Early Registration:** (postmarked on or before 01/17/08)

\$200.00

**Regular Registration:** (postmarked after 08/17/08 through 09/12/08)

\$225.00

**Group Discount:** (3 or more on or before 09/12/08)

\$185.00

**Current Student:** (include verification)

\$185.00

**UAB/TKC Nurses:** \$185.00

**On site (cash or Institutional Check only)** \$300.00

**Group Registration:** Group registration from the same institution must be sent together in order to receive the group discount

**Cancellation Policy:** Full refund if received in writing by 08/17/08.

Any cancellations received after 08/17/08 will incur a \$50.00 administrative fee.

**Payment Method:** Payment should be made by check or money order (make payable to UAB Hospital). MasterCard, Visa or Discover Card is accepted. American Express is **NOT** accepted. **No personal checks or credit cards will be accepted at on site registration. Cash or Institutional Check only!**